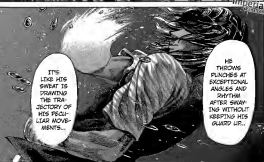




EVEN
SWEAT IS
BEAUTIFUL.

[RIKUDO]



IT'S
LIKE HIS
SWEAT IS
DRAWING
THE TRA-
JECTORY OF
HIS PECU-
LIAR MOVE-
MENTS...

HE
THROWS
PUNCHES AT
EXCEPTIONAL
ANGLES AND
RHYTHM
AFTER SWAY-
ING WITHOUT
KEEPING HIS
GUARD UP...

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SPLENDOR'S
A
REQUIREMENT
WHEN
YOU'RE
→ A
GENIUS.

IT'S
LIKE HE'S
DANCING...

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VOLUMES
1-3 ARE
NOW FLYING
OFF THE
SHELVES!

CHAPTER 39: THE NYOBO GYM

TOSHIYUKI MATSUEKA

RECENTLY POPULAR AND WELL-RECEIVED, THIS IS A REALISTIC-FIXING STORY THAT WORKS BOTH SILENCE



DON'T
FORGET
YOUR
JUNIOR



I
DON'T
GET IT.

WHY
WOULD
YOU
NEED
ANY
DEAD-
LIT-
TERAL
MOVES
LIKE
THAT
TO
DEFEAT
YOUR
OP-
PONENT?



THE
C LEVEL
BOXERS
ARE
JUST
BEING
SPOTLED
BECAUSE
OF
THE
OLD
MAN'S
IN-
FLUENCE.



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WE
NEW-
COMERS
REALLY
LIKE
HIM.

HOW
DARE HE
HAVE THE
TIME TO
GIVE ADVICE
WHEN HIS
FIGHT
AGAINST
AGARTS IN
TWO WEEKS!

TOH.



DROP
YOUR
SHOULD-
ERS A
BIT AND
RELAX.

AH.
SURE.



AND
WELL,
THE
CHAIR-
MAN...



YOU
WANT TO
KNOW
HOW TO
RECEIVE
A COUN-
TERT?

BUT,
WELL...

WELL...
ABOUT
THAT...

SO THIS
PLACE
ONLY
PROD-
UCES
BOXERS
THAT CAN
HOLD
THEIR
OWN IN
ANY KIND
OF FIGHT.

IS THE
MANAGER
OF THE
ONE WHO
HOLDS
MULTIPLE
BELTS
RANGING
FROM THE
JAPANESE
TO THE
WORLD
BELT...





ESPECIALLY IF YOU THINK DELICIOUS HONEY IS WAITING FOR YOU AT THE VERY BOTTOM...

JUST TAKE IT. ♡



I DIDN'T QUOTE GET HIS ADVICE. GUESS THAT'S BECAUSE HE'S A GENIUS.

...uh...

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HYODO.

I'VE BEEN AT THIS GYM LONGER THAN YOU SO LEARN FROM ME. I'VE GOTTEN SOME ADVICE.

I'VE NEVER

HAD ANY CONFIDENCE

...



THE
ROOKIE
KING CAN
GET
PRETTY
BLOODY,
Y'KNOW?

YOU
MIGHT
NOT GET
IT SINCE
YOU CAME
FROM A
NICE LIN-
EAGE AND
ALL BUT...



IT WAS THE
SAME IN MY
TIME. IT MIGHT
ONLY BE A 4
ROUND FIGHT
BUT YOU'LL BE
PITTED AGAINST
MEN WHO HAVE
A LOT OF BUTS
AND GO HARD
WHEN FIGHT-
ING. Y'SEET



I DUNNO
WHAT THE OLD
MAN'S PLAYING
AT BY RE-
JECTING YOU,
BUT DON'T UN-
DERESTIMATE
THE LOWER
RANKERS, OK?



WHAT'S
GOT YOU
SO PISSED
OFF, NO-NAME?



TO
BE PERFECTLY
HONEST,

IT'S
NOT LIKE
I REALLY
HAVE
TO DO
BOXING.

MY
FATHER'S
ALREADY
SATIS-
FIED
AFTER
ALL



IS THAT
SO, MR.
MIDARU?

MR.
TSUBAKI
AND MY
FATHER,
A LIGHT-
WEIGHT
WORLD
CHAMPION,
TAKE CARE
OF ME
BUT...

Shounen Jump



ONE I
REALLY WANT...
AND THAT I HAVE
THE GUTS TO WALK
ON BEFORE I WRAP
MY FATHER'S BELT,
THE WORLD BELT,
AROUND MY
WAIST.

BUT THE
ROOKIE
KING EVEN
THOUGH
IT'S A
DETOUR,
IS REALLY
IMPORTANT
TO ME



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DON'T WEND
WHAT PEOPLE
AROUND YOU
SAY AND DO
IT AT YOUR
OWN RISK.

DO YOUR
BEST,
KABOS!



EVEN IF
HE DOESN'T
WANT TO, THE
CHAIRMAN
WILL HAVE TO
WORK WITH
YOU WHEN A
TITLE FIGHT
GETS SET
FOR YOU.

I'M SURE
YOU'LL BE
ABLE TO
SUCCEED
YOUR FATHER
BY TAKING
THE WORLD
BELT.



SHOW
HIM HOW
I FARE,
FIGHTING
RIKU...

I REALLY
WANT TO
SHOW DAD.



SO YOU
DEFENDED
YOUR TITLE
WITH A KOT?
HOW MANY
PEOPLE
WERE
THERE?

TEU-
BAKT!





...ALSO, DO YOU HAVE PLANS ON SATURDAY IN TWO WEEKS?



KATO? WHICH ONE? LEAVE THOSE SMALL MATTERS TO THE TRAINERS.

CHADOMAL KATO FROM THE FEATHER-WEIGHT DIVISION SAID HE WANTED TO TRANSFER DIVS.

SCHEDULE: KAREN HYODO, FIGHT AT KORENIGAN 8:30 PM

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NO... IT'S NOTHING...

SOT WHAT'S ON THAT SATURDAY?

SEEMS LIKE IT'LL BE QUITE HANDY TO FIND AN OPPONENT IN THE LIGHT-WEIGHT AND FLYWEIGHT DIVISIONS FOR A TITLE MATCH HERE SO... I'LL BE IN THAILAND FOR A WHILE LONGER.





I DON'T
GET IT...



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WHY DID
YOU PICK
THE ROAD
NO ONE
TAKES ANY
NOTICE
OF...?

HYODO... EVEN
THOUGH YOU'RE
FOLLOWING IN
YOUR FATHER'S
FOOTSTEPS



AKITO HYODO
VS
KYOSUKE
TOKOROZAWA



HE USED THE
BOAT FOR THE
OPPF TITLE
AS A RETURN
FIGHT, AFTER
LOSING THE
WORLD BELT.
HUN...? IT'S
SO LIKE MY
FATHER, TO
THINK HE'D BE
ABLE TO RE-
STORE HIS
TITLE IN ONE
GO THERE.



IT'S AL-
READY
BEEN
TEN
YEARS...



AND
RETIRED
AFTER
THAT...

HE
GOT TOO
GREEDY





THAT
I'VE BUR-
DENED MY
FATHER'S
DEBT?

PEOPLE
SAY IT'S
A GIVEN

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THERE IS
SOMETHING
I WANT
FIRST.

BUT...

...WELL,
THEY'RE
QUITE
RIGHT.



BY FIGHTING
RIKU WHO
POSSESSES
ONES THAT CAN
GO THROUGH
ANYTHING...

I'M
GONNA GET
CLOSER TO
SUCH FISTS



I WANT FISTS
THAT CAN FILL
THE MOMENT...
SO THAT I CAN
CONTINUE LIVING
EVEN WHEN I
GET HIT...

THESE
FISTS.



I
WANA
TEACH
HIM

THAT
TRUE
FISTS...
WANT TO
PUNCH
OTHERS
EVEN
WITHOUT
HONEY AT
THE
BOTTOM

ALL THE
TIME THE
ADMIRER
THE SAME
MAN



DAD'S
THE ONE
THAT FELL
THE
HARDEST
AFTER
THAT
FIGHT...

